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DETAILED ACTION

This Office action responds to the amendment in paper no. 13 and to the reply brief in paper no. 14 both filed on 6/18/2004.

Acknowledgment of Amendment

1. An appeal under 37 CFR 1.191 was filed in this application on 2/17/2004. Appellant's brief was filed on 3/12/2004 in accordance with 37 CFR 1.192(a). The amendment in paper no. 13, filed on 6/18/2004, under 37 CFR 1.116 in reply to the final rejection in paper no. 8, mailed on 12/3/2003, has been entered, but is not deemed to place the application in condition for allowance. For purposes of appeal, the status of the claims is as follows:

Allowed claim(s): 4-6 and 16-19

Rejected claim(s): 2 and 3

Claim(s) objected to: none

Claim(s) withdrawn: 7-15

Cancelled claim(s): 1

2. See 37 CFR 1.193(a)(2) which provides for the inclusion of the proposed rejection(s) detailed below in the Examiner's Answer if applicant elects to file an appeal

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to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in this proceeding. To be complete, such rejection(s) must be addressed in any brief on appeal.

3. Claims **2 and 3** would be rejected for the reasons set forth in the rejection under 35 U.S.C § 102(e) based upon Lien of the Examiner's Answer in paper no. 12, mailed on 5/11/2004.

Acknowledgment of Reply Brief

4. The reply brief in paper no. 14, filed on 6/18/2004, has been entered and considered. The application has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for decision on the appeal.

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